

A Quod profile



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Areas of expertise

Nanon joined Quod's Socio-Economics team in September 2022 and is a recent graduate of the University of Birmingham. Nanon was awarded the Mitchell and Kolpinski Prize as the "most distinguished" student in her year group, and her dissertation was nominated for the Royal Geographic Society's Research Group Dissertation Prize, in the category of Planning and Environment Research.

Nanon has a particular interest in infrastructure development. She revels the opportunity to think creatively on how best to address the needs and wants of a population, based on a combination of statistics, planning policy and stakeholder engagement.

Key experience

Hampshire Water Transfer and Water Recycling Project -

Nanon supports Southern Water with Local Planning Authority engagement for its Hampshire Water Transfer and Water Recycling Project (HWTWRP) DCO application. This project is to provide new pipelines and a water recycling plant within Hampshire to reduce water shortages during droughts. Nanon's research and project management work aids the project team in identifying, monitoring and addressing key issues. Nanon attends regular meetings with stakeholders and maintains detailed records of engagement and emerging actions. Nanon manages the monitoring of the HWTWRP planning baseline, which involves conducting regular comprehensive reviews of planning applications within the project's pipeline corridor and buffer to identify emerging major developments. Nanon uses a range of databases, including Land Insight, to collect and monitor this information.

Earls Court Masterplan - Nanon undertook extensive data analysis to explore the socio-economic characteristics of the local area around Earls Court to produce a Baseline Report.

Key projects

Hampshire water

Earls Court Masterplan Cambridge East

Carraghinalt Gold Deposit

Baldock Employment and Economic Strategy

North Wales Employment Land Review (Phase 1)

Key clients

Southern Water

Earls Court Development Company

Marshal Group

Dalradian Gold Ltd

Urban&Civic

Isle of Anglesey County Council, Gwynedd Council and Snowdonia National Park Authority



Identifying different characteristics across the area aided considerations for how different people and communities may be affected by the Masterplan. This helped to inform what types of facilities and activities could be included within the Masterplan. Nanon's QGIS abilities aided her in producing multiple maps to help visualise the data. Additionally, Nanon contributed to the production of the Public Benefits Paper by conducting a review of information provided by the project's various consultants so as to formulate a coherent narrative regarding how the Masterplan will help Earls Court become an excellent place to live, work and spend time in. Nanon also contributed to the Paper by using her research to write a chapter discussing the Masterplan's housing proposal and its related public benefits.

Cambridge East - Nanon undertook a social infrastructure audit to support the early masterplanning of Cambridge East. Cambridge East is the proposed redevelopment of Cambridge Airport - a major regeneration opportunity in Cambridge City. Her role was to look at the provision of social infrastructure within the wider area to help identify gaps in demand. She also reviewed the emerging policy framework to identify the key economic objectives for growth in this area to feed into the economic and employment strategy for the masterplan.

Baldock Employment and Economic Strategy - Quod is advising Urban&Civic on the employment and economic strategy for Baldock, a town extension of over 2,000 homes and associated employment space in North Hertfordshire. Nanon conducted an extensive baseline data review and analysis, engaging with a range of data types and sources, including the 2011 and 2021 Census, Annual Population Survey, Business Register and Employment Survey and the VOA Business Floorspace database. Nanon presented the data in various forms of graphs using Excel and maps using QGIS. This data has informed an understanding of the socio-economic context for Baldock in North Hertfordshire, as well as the wider district and county context.

Curraghinalt Gold Deposit - Nanon is contributing to the Employment and Training Framework Plan for the Curraghinalt Gold Deposit development. Nanon's work has included undertaking an audit of local educational institutions, taking a focus on colleges and training organisations, to help identify organisations Dalradian Gold Ltd could work with to deliver their employment and training commitments and other community benefits.